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IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the abstract as follows:

Shower trays and like articles are formed from a composite article in which an

outer shell 7,9 of plastics material encases a core 8-of stone resin material filler. The outer

shell comprises includes upper and lower members 7,9 provided with formations 15,16 and

20,21 that co-operate to locate and align the members 7,9 wherein overlapping regions of the

formations are removed after the core 8 is formed to provide a base for the article and a hole

for wastewater. to form the outer shell.

Figures 3,11,12

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ABSTRACT

Shower trays and like articles are formed from a composite article in which an outer shell of plastics material encases a core of filler. The outer shell includes upper and lower members that co-operate to form the outer shell.